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TO:

Thomas J. Weston

Groundwater Permits Unit

FROM:

Douglas D. Thompson

Hydrogeological Review Unit

SUBJECT:

Williamsburg Receiving and Storage, Inc.

Whitewater Township, Grand Traverse County

I have completed my review of the Williamsburg Receiving and Storage, Inc., file and recommend that the hydrogeologic study and groundwater monitoring requirements be waived in accordance with R 323.2221(6) of Part 31, Water Resources Protection, of the Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Act, 1994 PA 451, as amended.

It is my understanding that the facility will be permitted to discharge up to 42,000 gallons per day of process water at a rate not to exceed 0.75 inches per week. The recommendation to waive the hydrogeologic study and groundwater monitoring requirements is based on the low application rate, the effluent quality, and discharging according to an approved Irrigation Management Plan.

If you would like to discuss my review, please contact me at 5-3380.

CC:

Jim Janiczek, WMD Scott Ross, WMD

Janice Heuer, Cadillac District, WMD